Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—Yes.

Sri T. TARE GOWDA.—Is there any necessity to open another Veterinary College in North Karnatak ?

Mr. SPEKAER.—That is a different question altogether.

Sri T. TARE GOWDA.—Will the Government be pleased to consider the question of opening of another Veterinary college in North Karnatak next year ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—That is a suggestion for action.

Sri V. S. PATIL.—May I know as to whether it is proper on the part of Treasury Benches to give out rumours or information which is not confirmed by official reports ? The Hon'ble Minister said that he has received unofficial information.

Mr. SPEAKER.—He is quite right in giving that information.

Sri V. S. PATIL.—Is it proper to give that information ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—There is nothing improper in that. It is for the benefit of the House. If the Hon'ble Members do not take it as a benefit, they may reject it.

Sri B. BASAVALINGAPPA.—May I know whether there is any suitable place in Coorg for starting a Veterinary College ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—The question does not arise.

Upgrading of Block Development Officers to Gazetted Ranks.

Q.—1203. Sri T. TARE GOWDA (Sira).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the basis on which Block Development officers are upgraded to gazetted rank ;

(*b*) whether there are any Block Development Officers who have not been included in the list now prepared for upgrading to gazetted ranks ;

(*c*) whether such Block Development Officers not included in the list have not received training ?

A.—Sri T. MARIAPPA (Minister for Finance) [on behalf of SRI S. NIJALINGAPPA (Chief Minister)].—

(*a*) The entire question is still under the consideration of Government.

(*b*) and (*c*) Do not arise in view of reply to (*a*) above.

Sri T. TARE GOWDA.—Is it a fact that the Block Development Officer who underwent training was not upgraded recently ?

*Sri T. MARIAPPA.—Sir, I have already stated that the whole matter is engaging the earnest attention of Government.

Sri T. TARE GOWDA.—Will the Government be pleased to consider that while upgrading these Block Development Officers, that they are really friend, guides and philosophers of the villagers ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಹಾಗೆಂದರೆ ನನಗೆ ಗೊತ್ತಾಗಲಲ್ಲ:

Sri T. TARE GOWDA.—What is the crucial test for upgrading Block Development Officers ?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—The only crucial test, as my friend wants it, is that the Public Service Commission will screen them and they have already screened them.

ಶ್ರೀ ಯು ಎಂ. ಮಾದಪ್ಪ.—ಬ್ಲಾಕ್ ಡೆವಲಪ್ ಮೆಂಟ್ ಆಫೀಸರುಗಳನ್ನು, ಹಿಂದೆ ಈ ಅಧಿಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳುವಾಗ, ಒಂದು ಕಮಿಟಿಯನ್ನು ನೇಮಿಸಿ ಆ ಕಮಿಟಿಯ ತೀರ್ಮಾನದಂತೆ ಅವರನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಲಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಹೌದು, ಸೆಲೆಕ್ಟ್ ಮಾಡಿತು.

ಶ್ರೀ ಯು. ಎಂ. ಮಾದಪ್ಪ.—ಆಗ ಅವರನ್ನು ಸೆಲೆಕ್ಟ್ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದು, ಅವರು ಆ ಕೆಲಸಕ್ಕೆ ಅರ್ಹತೆ ಹೊಂದಿದ್ದಾರೆಂದು ಅಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ — ಅದು ಬರೀ ಹೈಪಾತೆಟಿಕಲ್ ಕೊಶ್ಚನ್.

ಶ್ರೀ ಯು. ಎಂ. ಮಾದಪ್ಪ.—ಈ ಪೋಸ್ಟುಗಳನ್ನು ಗಜೆಟೆಡ್ ಪೋಸ್ಟುಗಳನ್ನಾಗಿ ಮಾಡಲೇಕು ಎಂದು ನಿಶ್ಚಯ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೀರಾ ?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—The whole matter is under consideration.

ಶ್ರೀ ಯು. ಎಂ. ಮಾದಪ್ಪ.—ಹಿಂದೆ ಈ B.D.O. ಗಳನ್ನು ಯಾರು ಸ್ಕ್ರೀನ್ (screen) ಮಾಡಿದ್ದರು ಗೊತ್ತಿದೆಯೇ ? ಪಬ್ಲಿಕ್ ಸರ್ವಿಸಿನ ಒಬ್ಬ ನದಸ್ಯರು, ಕನ್‌ಸರ್ವರ್‌ಡ್ ಮಿನಿಸ್ಟರು ಮತ್ತು ಡಿಪಾರ್ಟ್‌ಮೆಂಟಲ್ ಹೆಡ್‌ನೊಳಗೊಂಡ ಮೂರು ಜನರ ಕಮಿಟಿ ನೇರಿ, screen ಮಾಡಲಿಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಯಾರು screen ಮಾಡಿದರೋ ಗೊತ್ತಿಲ್ಲ. ನೋಟೀಸ್ ಕೊಟ್ಟರೆ ಹೇಳುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಕೆ. ಬೊಮ್ಮೇಗೌಡ.—B.D.O.ಗಳು ಗೆಜೆಟೆಡ್ ಆಫೀಸರುಗಳಾಗಿ ಇರಬೇಕೇ? ಈಗಿರುವ B.D.O. ಗಳನ್ನೇ ಇಟ್ಟುಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೀರಾ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—B.D.O.ಗಳು ಮೊದಲು ಗೆಜೆಟೆಡ್ ಆಗಿರಲಿಲ್ಲ. ಗೆಜೆಟೆಡ್ ಮಾಡಬೇಕಾದರೆ, ಅವರುಗಳ ಹೆಸರುಗಳನ್ನು ಪಬ್ಲಿಕ್ ಸರ್ವೀಸ್ ಕಮಿಷನ್‌ಗೆ ಕಳುಹಿಸಿ screen ಮಾಡಬೇಕಾಗುತ್ತದೆ. B.D.O. ಪೋಸ್ಟುಗಳು ಗೆಜೆಟೆಡ್ ಆಗಿಯೇ ಇರಬೇಕೆ ಎಂಬುದು ಇನ್ನೂ ತೀರ್ಮಾನವಾಗಬೇಕು.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಕೆ. ಬೊಮ್ಮೇಗೌಡ.—ಗೆಜೆಟೆಡ್ ರ್ಯಾಂಕಿಗೆ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡರೆ, ಯಾವ ರೀತಿ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೀರಾ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ನಾನು ಆಗಲೇ ಉತ್ತರ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೇನೆ, ಎಲ್ಲ ವಿಷಯಗಳನ್ನೂ ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದೇವೆ ಎಂದು.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಕೆ. ಬೊಮ್ಮೇಗೌಡ.—ಅಮಲ್ದಾರರುಗಳನ್ನು B.D.O. ಗಳಾಗಿ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡಿಲ್ಲವೇ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬಹುದು. ಅದಕ್ಕೆ ಏನೂ ಅಡ್ಡಿ ಇಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಕೆ. ಬೊಮ್ಮೇಗೌಡ.—ಈಗ ಕೆಲಸ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿರುವ ನಾನ್-ಗೆಜೆಟೆಡ್ B.D.O. ಗಳನ್ನು ಗೆಜೆಟೆಡ್ B.D.O. ಗಳಾಗಿ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬಾರದೆ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಅವರಿಗೆ ಸೀನಿಯಾರಿಟಿ ಇದ್ದು ಅವರು ದಕ್ಷರಾಗಿ suitable ಆಗಿ ಇದ್ದರೆ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬಹುದು. ಎಲ್ಲವನ್ನೂ ನೋಡುತ್ತಾ ಇದ್ದೇವೆ, the whole thing is under consideration, ಇನ್ನೂ ಯಾವುದೂ finalise ಆಗಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳುತ್ತಿರುವಾಗ, ಇಂತಹ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಹಾಕಿದರೆ, ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿಕ್ಕುವುದು ಕಷ್ಟ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಕೆ. ಬೊಮ್ಮೇಗೌಡ.—ಈಗಿರುವ ಕೆಲವು B.D.O. ಗಳನ್ನು, B.D.O. ಲಸ್ಟ್ ನಿಂದ ತೆಗೆದು ಹಾಕಿ ಹಿಂದಕ್ಕೆ ಕಳುಹಿಸಿರುವುದರಿಂದ ಅವರಿಗೆ ಬಹಳ ತೊಂದರೆಯಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ ಎನ್ನುವುದು ಗೊತ್ತಿದೆಯೇ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದೆ. ಕಮಿಟಿಲ್ ಆಗಿ ಉತ್ತರ ಕೊಡುವುದಕ್ಕಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

Sri B. RACHIAH.—Is it not a fact that these appointments are direct recruitments?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—Sir, we have not yet decided whether they should be direct recruitment or promotional. The whole question is that best, competent and efficient people must be taken for the job.

Sri B. RACHIAH.—What is the difficulty in the way of Government in upgrading those who are working already to gazetted rank?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—Sir, there is some misconception in the minds of the Hon'ble Members. Nobody can be upgraded. It is a question of making the B.D.O. posts as gazetted.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—Is it a fact that Government have reverted as many as half a dozen people though training was given to them?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—Sir, the whole matter is under consideration.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—What are the difficulties in the way of Government to decide this question?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—We have to correspond with the Administration of the Community Project. We want the Amildars as *ex-officio* Block Development Officers. But there is an all-India pattern and we have to follow that. We must also consider the qualifications, the seniority, whether they should automatically become Amildars or not. All these are very complicated questions. We must also consider the question of representation of various interests. All these questions are there.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಲಿಂಗೇಗೌಡ.—ಅಮಲ್ದಾರರುಗಳಿಗೇ ತಕ್ಕ ಟ್ರೇನಿಂಗ್‌ಕೊಟ್ಟು, ಅವರನ್ನೇ ಅಮಲ್ದಾರ್-ಕಮ್-ಬಿ.ಡಿ.ಓ. ಆಗಿ ಅಪಾಯಿಂಟ್ ಮಾಡುವುದನ್ನು ಆಲೋಚನೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೀರಾ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಈ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ ನಿಮ್ಮ ಮನಸ್ಸಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಇದೆ ಎಂದು ಗೊತ್ತಿತ್ತು. ಈ ಯೋಜನೆ ಆಲ್-ಇಂಡಿಯಾ ಪ್ಯಾಟರ್ನ್‌ಗೆ ಸರಿಹೊಂದಿಕೊಂಡಿರಬೇಕು. ಬೊಂಬಾಯಿ ಪ್ರಾಂತ್ಯದಲ್ಲೇನೋ ನೀವು ಹೇಳಿದ ಹಾಗೆ ಮಾಮಲತ್‌ದಾರರೇ ಬಿ.ಡಿ.ಓ. ಗಳ ಕೆಲಸವನ್ನೂ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಆದರೆ ಕಮ್ಯೂನಿಟಿ ಡೆವಲಪ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಅಡ್‌ಮಿನಿಸ್ಟ್ರೇಷನ್ ಅವರು ಈ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಲಸ ಚುರುಕಾಗಿ ನಡೆಯುವುದಿಲ್ಲವೆಂದು ಅನುಭವದಿಂದ ಅಭಿಪ್ರಾಯಪಟ್ಟಿದ್ದಾರೆ ಮತ್ತು B.D.O.ಗಳು ಗೆಜೆಟೆಡ್ ಆಫೀಸರುಗಳಾಗಿ ಪೂರ್ತಿಯಾಗಿ ಅದೇ ಕೆಲಸದಲ್ಲಿ ನಿರತರಾಗಿರಬೇಕೆಂದು ಸಲಹೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ನಾವು ಈ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಯನ್ನು ಆಲ್-ಇಂಡಿಯ ಪ್ಯಾಟರ್ನ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ, ಟರಾಫರ್ಮ್‌ದಿಂದ ಆಲೋಚನೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದೇವೆ. ಕೇಂದ್ರದವರು, ಕಮ್ಯೂನಿಟಿ ಡೆವಲಪ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಅಡ್‌ಮಿನಿಸ್ಟ್ರೇಷನ್‌ನ ಹಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಶೇಕಡ ಐವತ್ತರಷ್ಟು ಖರ್ಚನ್ನು ವಹಿಸಿಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಈ ದೃಷ್ಟಿಯಿಂದ ಈ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಯನ್ನು ಅವಲೋಕಿಸಬೇಕೇ ಹೊರತು, we cannot plough a lovely furrow. ಕಷ್ಟವಾದ ಸಮಸ್ಯೆಗಳು ಇರುವುದರಿಂದ, ಈ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಯನ್ನು ಎಲ್ಲ ದೃಷ್ಟಿಯಿಂದಲೂ ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದೇವೆ.

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—While the matter is under consideration, have Government reverted any of the people who were working as B.D.Os.?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—To the best of my information, we have not reverted. If they were found to be unfit for the job, they might have been reverted in some cases.

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Were they found unfit to do the work of the B.D.O.?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—Sir, I do not want to reply to a vague question. Let my friend table a specific question; I will answer.

Sri N. RACHIAH.—May I know whether there is a Central directive that these Block Development Officers must be a separate unit and if so, will Government recruit or promote officers from various departments?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—Sir, there is no question of any directive from the Centre. We discuss the whole matter across the table and come to conclusions.

Sri N. RACHIAH.—Is there any instruction from the Centre that this should be a separate unit?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—In fact, the Government of India is writing to us that we must also fall in line with the uniform policy which is followed throughout India.

Sri N RACHIAH. May I know whether these B.D Os. are drawn from only Revenue Department or other departments and if so, whether it amounts to promotion in view of the fact that representation should be given to Schedule Castes and Schedule Tribes?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—I have already answered that we want to draw efficient, senior, competent young officers and prepare a list and see that the seniority of their seniors is not affected also. Therefore, the whole question is under consideration yet. It is not a very easy matter

Sri B. RACHIAH.—Is it seniority alone that is counted?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—Seniority is not ignored; efficiency is also taken into consideration.

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—Shall I take it that Government has not been able to convince the Government of India that an Amildar *cum* Block Development Officer would be more useful and economical also?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—I do not agree with the suggestion; but they have been telling us that throughout India a uniform policy is being followed and Mysore also should fall in line with that.

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—Is it the firm conviction of the Government of India that without reference to the local conditions they desire to import their policy whether it results in economy and usefulness or not?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—From experience it is found that there should be an independant gazetted officer for this. If not, it would be very difficulty for a non-gazetted officer to exercise control over the subordinates. The gazetted officer would be able to exercise control over them, he would be able to draw money and disburse and so on. This is their view in the matter. Most of the States have fallen in line. It is only in Bombay an experiment was conducted. In Mysore also we have non-gazetted B.D.Os. In some cases there was perfect co-operation between the Amildar and the B D.O, but in some other cases it was otherwise. We are analysing the whole matter.

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—Is it or is it not within the experience of the Government that for want of necessary cordial relation between the B.D Os. and other people, they are not able to do as much work as was expected?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—In some cases it is so. Because the B.D.O. thinks that he is in the non-gazetted cadre and feels inferior, he will not be able to control others properly. In final analysis it is the human reality that counts.

Sri L. S. VENKAJI RAO.—Should I understand that filtering will take place after screening?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—Sir, my friend is speaking the language of the Water Supply Department. Screening naturally filters also.

9 A.M.

ಶ್ರೀ ಯು. ಎಂ. ಮಾದಪ್ಪ.—ಕೆಲವು ಬ್ಲಾಕ್ ಡೆವಲಪ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಆಫೀಸರುಗಳನ್ನು ಅಕ್ಷಿತ್ ಎಂದು ರಿಪೋರ್ಟ್ ಮಾಡಿ ವೆ?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—When specific instances come to my notice, we will examine. I do not want to hazard a reply to such questions. ಕೆಲವು ಸಂದರ್ಭಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ರಿಪೋರ್ಟ್ ಮಾಡಿರಬಹುದು. ಬಾಕಿ ಕೇಸುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಹಾಗೆಯೇ ರೀಪ್ರೆಸೆಂಟ್ ಮಾಡಿರಬಹುದು. I did not want to answer that question because the whole matter is being examined. Please do not force me to give a definite reply.

ಶ್ರೀ ಯು. ಎಂ. ಪಾದಪ್ಪ.—ಆ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಬ್ಲಾಕ್ ಡೆವಲಪ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಆಫೀಸರುಗಳ ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೂ ಸಹ ಈರೀತಿ ಅನ್ಯಾಯ ನಡೆದಿದೆ, ನಮಗೂ ನ್ಯಾಯ ದೊರಕಿಸಿಕೊಡಬೇಕೆಂದು ಏನಾದರೂ ಅರ್ಜಿಯನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿಲ್ಲವೇ?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—We have received many representations and the volume of opinion will also be certainly taken into consideration.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ರಾಮಪ್ಪ.—ದಾವಣಗೆರೆಯ ಬ್ಲಾಕ್ ಡೆವಲಪ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಆಫೀಸರನ್ನು ಟ್ರಾನ್ಸ್‌ಫರ್ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೀರಾ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಸ್ಪೆಸಿಫಿಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ ಕೇಳಿದರೆ ಉತ್ತರ ಹೇಳಬಹುದು.

Sri M. RAMAPPA.—Why the Block Development Officer has been reduced in Davangere, Sir?

Sri T. MARIAPPA.—We are examining that case also.

Mr. SPEAKER.—But I would like to request the Hon'ble Member not to put such questions. It will be embarrassing.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಕೆ. ಸಿದ್ದಯ್ಯ.—(a) ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗೆ ಉತ್ತರವಾಗಿ ಬ್ಲಾಕ್ ಡೆವಲಪ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಆಫೀಸರುಗಳ ನೇಮಕದ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಯು ಇನ್ನೂ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರ ಪರ್ಯಾಲೋಚನೆಯಲ್ಲಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದೆ. ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ ನಿಮ್ಮ ಪಂಗದದವರು ಎಷ್ಟು ಜನ ಇದ್ದಾರೆ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಆ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಯೂ ನಮ್ಮ ಆಲೋಚನೆಯಲ್ಲಿದೆ. ಈಗ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆಯನ್ನು ಕೇಳಿದರೆ ನಾನು ನೋಟೀಸ್ ಬೇಕೆಂದು ಹೇಳಬೇಕಾಗಿ ಬರುತ್ತದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಕೆ. ಸಿದ್ದಯ್ಯ.—ನಮ್ಮ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಂದು ಮೂಲಗೂ ಆಲೋಚನೆಯಲ್ಲದೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳುತ್ತಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. 1957 ನೆಯ ಮಾರ್ಚ್ 31 ನೆಯ ಅಖೈರಿಗೆ ನಿಮ್ಮ ಆಲೋಚನೆಯೆಲ್ಲಾ ಪೂರ್ತಿಯಾಗಿಲ್ಲವೇ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಅದಷ್ಟು ಬೇಗನೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದೇವೆ. ಅದು ಮಿಂಚಿನ ವೇಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಹೋಗುತ್ತಿದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಕೆ. ಸಿದ್ದಯ್ಯ.—ಮುಂದೆ ನವಂಬರ್ ಅಧಿವೇಶನ ನಡೆಯುವಾಗ ನಿಮ್ಮ ಪಂಗದ ಎಷ್ಟು ಜನ ಆಫೀಸರುಗಳನ್ನು ನೇಮಕ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೀರಿ ಎಂಬುದನ್ನು ತಿಳಿಸುತ್ತೀರಾ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಈಗ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ ಕೇಳಿದರೆ ತಿಳಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ.

(Sri V. P. Deenadayalu Naidu rose to put his question.)

Mr. SPEAKER.—Now I hope the Hon'ble Member's name is correctly printed here.

Sri V. P. DEENADAYALU NAIDU.—My name is correct, Sir. But I think the Hon'ble Minister's name is wrong. *(Inughter).*

Mr. SPEAKER.—It is right, because the complaint is not from the other side.

Milk Supply Scheme for Bangalore.

Q.—1242. Sri V. P. DEENADAYALU NAIDU (Cubbonpet).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether a Committee was constituted by them to go into the question of starting "Milk Supply Scheme" in Bangalore City;

(*b*) if so, the recommendations of the Committee in this regard?

A.—Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA (Minister for Agriculture).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Does not arise.

Sri V. P. DEENADAYALU NAIDU.—Sir, this question is answered as pertaining to the Agricultural Department.

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—Agriculture and Veterinary are allied subjects.

Sri V. P. DEENADAYALU NAIDU.—I am aware that when you were the Minister previously, a committee was constituted perhaps with the help of the L.S.G. and the Secretary was then.....

Mr. SPEAKER.—Please put the question.

Sri V. P. DEENADAYALU NAIDU.—Is it not a fact that a Committee was constituted at that time perhaps by a different Department, the Department of L.S.G. and Health?

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—So far as the information that is with me, no such committee was constituted. If the Hon'ble Member says that a committee was constituted in the Ministry of Health, I will verify.

Sri V. P. DEENADAYALU NAIDU.—That is exactly where the error comes in. In addition to that, is it not a fact that the Corporation in their Second Five-Year-Plan sent a proposal for a milk supply scheme and that was approved by the State Government and forwarded to the Government of India?

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—That is true.

Sri V. P. DEENADAYALU NAIDU.—If that is so, how is it that there is no consent indicated in the answer?